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Interview Summary	Application No.	Applicant(s)	
	10/784,891	NEMOTO ET AL.	
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All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

- (1) Todd M. Epps. (3) Joey Wujciak (primary).
 (2) Michelle Connell (attorney). (4) _____.

Date of Interview: 18 June 2007.

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference
 c) ☐ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☐ No.
 If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: 1 and 11.

Identification of prior art discussed: U.S. Pat #6,422,546 to Nemoto et al. and U.S. Pat #6,406,010 to Yano et al.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☒ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: See Continuation Sheet.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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 Examiner's signature, if required

Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Applicant's attorney discussed the distinguishing features of the present invention. Applicant is requesting reconsideration of independent claims 1 and 11 as being rejected 103 by the Nemoto's reference in view of Yano's reference. The attorney pointed out that Yano's reference do not teach the limitation of "wherein operation of said active anti-vibration supporting device is prohibited when an abnormality in an operational state of the engine is detected." The Examiner pointed out that Yano's reference teach the concept of wherein operation of a device is prohibited when an abnormality in an operational state of the engine is detected. Clearly, no agreement was reached on this matter. In response to the previous office action, applicant's attorney will file an appeal and present all arguments presented in this interview at that time.